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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

HONDO INTERESTED IN A TRADES DAY.

An informal gathering of citizens of Hondo, called together under the auspices of the Retail Merchant's Association, assembled at the Chevrolet Motor Company sales rooms Friday evening of last week. President Felix Batot presided and Mr. Dillon explained the purpose of the meeting to be the consideration of the practicability and advisability of inaugurating a series of trades days in Hondo.

In the informal discussion, it was brought out that certain towns have been conducting such events successfully over a period of years, and it was the consensus of opinion that what was successful and helpful in other towns could be made so in Hondo with proper co-operation.

However, no one was present who had had experience in the conducting of a Trades day, and it was decided to send a committee to Sabinal to confer with interested parties there who have had experience with the enterprise in that town, and report to another meeting to be called later.

Accordingly, a committee composed of Felix Batot, Joe Dillon, Henry Merriman, Earl Boon, Rollo Bless and Fletcher Davis, visited Sabinal Tuesday morning and conferred with a number of the citizens of that town.

The committee's report has not been formulated, but it can be said that it found the people of Sabinal thoroughly sold on the plan, and they created a most favorable impression in the mind of each member of the committee.

There will be another meeting, held at the Chamber of Commerce Hall, next Thursday night, June 26, at 8 o'clock at which time the report of the committee will be heard and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

Keep the time, place and hour in mind and be in attendance.

SWIMMING PARTY.

Misses Dwyce Cameron, Lucy, Anne and Dutz Davis, Hedwig Nester, Doris Windrow and Mary Elizabeth Meyer, and "Babo" Windrow, John Henry and Walter Meyer, Ralph de Monteil and Hugh Meyer formed a swimming party over at Castroville on the Medina River, Wednesday evening.

After enjoying a swim, a delicious picnic supper consisting of ham, cheese and jelly sandwiches, deviled eggs, potato chips, cake and punch was served. Games and dancing took up the remainder of the evening.

CONDENMED MAN DENIED RETRIAL.

AUSTIN, June 11.—Luis G. Arcos, death sentence for murder of Joe Barrientes in Medina County December 25, 1928, was denied a motion for rehearing by the Court of Criminal Appeals Wednesday. The killing was the outgrowth of sale to Arcos of a bottle of milk alleged to have been sour.

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WILL MEDINA COUNTY HOLD PRIMARIES?

County Chairman D. H. Fly of the County Democratic Executive Committee informs the Anvil Herald that the Committee has only a few dollars in its treasury—not enough to furnish ballots and supplies for the first primary July 26 and the second primary in August.

Such being the case, if any primaries are held there must be voluntary contributions from patriotic Democrats of sufficient funds for this purpose. Then, as heretofore, if the primaries are held, there must be issued to the citizens of Medina County. How are we going to meet free of charge as election officers to hold the elections?

This is requiring much in the way of patriotic service, but inasmuch as he spoke highly, not only of the chicken dinner served, but also of the organized interest in good roads, or the Democratic voters will be virtually disfranchised in Medina County.

The chairman suggests that precinct chairmen, or other interested parties, get busy in each precinct and arrange for these officers to hold the election and if any one wishes to donate any cash towards defraying the necessary expenses they can send or hand their contributions to him.

If you do not want the primary to go by default and our county have no voice in the selection of state and district officers, act at once on the above suggestions.

BATOT-SCHMIDT WEDDING.

The marriage of Miss Adeline Schmidt of Del Rio and Mr. Henry Batot, Jr., of Hondo, Texas, was solemnized at St. Joseph's church of San Antonio, Tuesday, June 10, 1930, with Reverend Leopold officiating. The bridal party was as follows:

Miss Katherine Weyel and Miss Mathilda Jungman, bridesmaids, who were charmingly dressed in blue and pink, respectively, while a lovely shade of green added to the loveliness of Miss Inez Dierman, maid of honor, Joneil Bendle and Bernell Bomba, dressed to imitate pink rose buds, made lovely little flower girls, while Hugh Bendle, bravely carried the ring up the aisle on a little white satin pillow. Travis Pruitt and Joe Meyer were groomsmen and Wildon Batot, best man.

After the ceremony, a lovely breakfast was served in the rosser room at the Menger Hotel. The room was attractively decorated with pink rose buds and a beautiful wedding cake as the center-piece.

The following were present at breakfast: Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Weyland, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Converse, Mesdames Albert Bendle, E. C. Pruitt, Frank Steinle, C. A. Michael, Misses Etta Batot, Claudia Michael, Estella Spahn and Henry Batot, Sr., and Hugo Batot.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Batot, Jr., left after breakfast on a motor trip. They will be at home in Hondo, Texas, after June 24.

WHO HAS IT?

We have an inquiry for a 40- and an 80-acre tract of uncleared land that can be put into cultivation. Must be reasonably priced. What have you?

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DR. SMITH PRESIDES AT LION'S MEETING; THEY WERE THERE.

Who? County Commissioners Buss and Tondre. They gave the Lions an insight into the work being done to improve our County roads, as well as into the plans for continued work, and the difficulties connected therewith. They assured the citizenship they would do all in their power to meet all just expectations and demands of the various communities in the County. "Make funds available and we will go the limit in building good roads"—that was the challenge issued to the citizens of Medina County. How are we going to meet that challenge?

Mr. Fletcher Davis, Editor of the Hondo Anvil Herald, was there and as he spoke highly, not only of the chicken dinner served, but also of the organized interest in good roads, a necessity for the full development of our town and county.

Practically every Lion was there. And they will want to be there at the next two meetings. The next meeting will coincide with the annual charter night program, to be held probably next Wednesday, June 25.

The meeting on June 30 will be dominated by a slogan suggested by Mr. Davis: "Hondo, a good marketing place." Local buyers of Medina County products will be requested to be present to advise how to make that slogan a reality. We expect this "get-together" to have far-reaching effects on the business of Hondo.

Several of the business men present divulgued a plan to inaugurate a monthly "Trades Day" in the near future. Watch the announcements in the Anvil Herald.

And Dr. Smith was there. He handled the "gavel" as if it were his second nature. We may expect a successful Lion's year under his leadership. Wonder whether there aren't some more Hondo men who should join the club for the upbuilding of Hondo and Medina County?

LADIES BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. O. M. Miller was hostess for three tables of bridge at her home Thursday afternoon of last week. The lovely rooms were enhanced with vases of colorful sweet peas and fern.

After several games of bridge prizes were awarded to the winners. Mrs. Horace Bradley won high score for club members meriting a silver cold meat fork; Mrs. O. B. Taylor, as a member cutting for consolation, won an unusual ice bucket. For guests, Mrs. W. H. Smith won high score prize, a china cream and sugar set and Mrs. Bradford of San Antonio cut for a dainty handkerchief.

A delectable plate lunch consisting of pimento cheese layer sandwiches, salad topped with whipped cream, potato chips, crackers, Angel Food cake and spiced tea was served to the following ladies: Mesdames Horace Bradley, L. E. Heath, John Finger, Earl Starner, R. W. Speece, Earl Boon, O. B. Taylor, W. H. Smith, Frank Schrevers, Bradford, Ed Cameron, Ralph Noonan, and the hostess, Mrs. Miller.

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By Will H. Mayes.

"All Texans for All Texas"

Too Much Politics

Business in Texas is suffering from an epidemic of politics and the press is helping to spread the disease by giving the politicians too much free publicity. A hotel proprietor recently told me that he wished he could close his hotel until after the primaries. He admitted that the hotels perhaps suffer less than any other business in heated campaigns, but said that the increased political patronage was more than offset by the loss of commercial business. There is more street-corner idling in Texas now than in the most serious unemployment days. If it were confined to white-collar loafers the situation might not be so bad, but all classes seem to have been bitten by the political bug. One never hears the question "How's business?" but the greeting invariably is "How's politics?"

Still Talking Texas

An editor who publishes this feature every week and who thereby proves that he thinks it worth while, has asked "why don't you devote some of your space to politics?" The reason is that this writer believes more in Texas than in Texas politics

and thinks that one paragraph about building of a new factory, success with a farm crop, opening a city park or playground, starting a public library or any other constructive news is worth more to the readers of Texas newspapers than all the political guesses. Some people sincerely think that the weal or woe of the country is bound up in the election or defeat of certain candidates, but a comment about a new bridge in your country is of more importance to you than anything this or any other writer could say about any of the candidates. That is why he prefers to "Talk Texas."

Texas Oil Wells

Oil development in Texas is steadily going on. In May 412 wells were brought in as producers, an increase of 94 over April. There were 280 dry holes. Thirty-one new gas wells were reported. These producing oil and gas wells are distributed in some 50 counties of the State. Oil field men are not taking off much time for politics, it may be guessed.

Trinity River Improvement

Owners of Trinity river valley lands, and the cities along the river are getting much interested in the canalization of the river from its mouth to Fort Worth. Many reasons enter into consideration—navigation, irrigation, reclamation, power, increased productivity and reduced freight rates are among these.

Texas Population

Texas will show a population of approximately 5,700,000 in the census returns. This growth has come about without any great exploitation. There has been no ballyhooing of the kind used by some States to attract population, but the growth has been gradual and steady. Really Texas has been too modest in proclaiming its resources and its possibilities. The State is rounding out its first centenary and should use that as a basis for showing the world what great achievement can be brought about within the short period of 100 years.

Summer School Growth

The Southwest Texas State Teachers College has a summer school enrollment of approximately 2,000, or a number that nearly equals half the population of San Marcos, where the school is located. While this large enrollment is in part due to the able faculty of the school, a still larger part of the credit is because of the splendid reputation of the little city for the hospitality of its people and the general attractiveness of the school surroundings. It is hard to

estimate what a drawing power such a combination of people and location have.

Marketing Cantaloupes

An Asherton cantaloupe grower who is marketing 250 acres of cantaloupes, says that although the melons are of better quality, have greater sugar content and can be moved to market at less cost than California cantaloupes, they are harder to sell. This is due to lack of systematic grading, packing and labeling of the Texas melons. California melons must measure up to required sugar content, and this gives buyers greater confidence. Individual growers in Texas are up against the necessity of convincing buyers that they have a superior product, while the California label is all that is required. Texas should take steps to overcome this disadvantage.

Santa Fe to Sonora

The Santa Fe extension of the old Orient line will be completed to Sonora and train service will begin to that point by July 1. This service includes the towns of Eldorado and Christoval, and Eldorado is preparing for a big July 4 celebration in which all that part of Texas will participate. It is a great country with a wonderful spirit of co-operative enterprise and the event will be one long to be remembered.

Cost of Eggs

The Luling Foundation Farm, managed by that capable farmer, Jack Shelton, has been making a helpful test of the feed cost of eggs. From January 1 to May 1, 1,101,189 dozen eggs were produced, the feed cost being 12.9 cents a dozen, figuring the feed at market prices. Corn and milo maize were used as the principal scratch grains. Laying mash was kept before the hens at all times, with a plentiful supply of skim milk. The hens had access to green pasture except in the extreme cold of January.

Milan County Grapes

A number of Milan County farmers are growing grapes in sufficient quantities for carload shipments and the business promises to be highly successful. The grapes are ready for market ahead of California grapes and command good prices. Much of the sandy land of Texas is adaptable to grape culture.

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Numbers Not So Much

The Brady Standard is not especially proud of the fact that Brady has a population of 3,923, which is an increase of 1,726 since 1920. The Standard says that the town could get rid of at least the 923 and be a better town. The truth is, if Brady is like most other towns, 923 hand-picked people would be better than the total of 3,923. Most of the worthless things in every town are done by comparatively few people.

Cotulla's Growth

This writer had a letter recently from a Cotulla friend saying that Cotulla is a good town, but that it grows too slowly. Yet the census figures show that without any boom of any kind the place has increased 195 per cent since 1920 and now has a population of 3,169. This starts me wondering just what that friend has been expecting of his town.

Brazos River Overflows

The State should interest itself in the project to improve the Brazos river valley. This for selfish reasons, if for no other. The loss of cotton this year from the recent overflow will be approximately 1,000 bales and the damage already done to the farm crops is estimated at \$1,400,000. The loss last year was about the same. The total investment in State prison farms is only slightly in excess of \$2,500,000, the entire farm values being wiped out in two years by the overflows. The Brazos river water project would stop all this loss, besides the almost incalculable loss to private landowners of the valley. Drainage and irrigation will quickly change certain losses to certain profits.

Roads and Streets

The Rockdale Reporter is proud as a peacock of the 15 miles of concrete highway just finished in that county and of the improved Rockdale streets, which it proclaims as "the most miles of fine streets is any Texas town" of like population. The first question asked every visitor is, "How do you like our roads and streets?" and the answer is certain to appear in the Reporter. Rockdale has many things of which to be proud, the Reporter being one of these.

LOCAL CHAPTER ELECTS.

At the regular meeting of the local Chapter of Royal Arch Masons Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year:

O. E. Lacy, High Priest.

Dr. O. B. Taylor, King.

Horace Bradley, Treasurer.

H. E. Haass, Secretary.

These officers elect and the appointive officers yet to be selected will be installed next Tuesday night, June 24.



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THE 1930 MEDINA COUNTY RURAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GRADUATES.

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From the Devine News.

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FROM YANCEY.

Another good rain came Sunday and folks are all smiles over the prospects of the corn crop. Roasting ears are plentiful and also garden vegetables are here in abundance.

Mr. Herbert Buss and Mr. Leo Pettis came down Monday on the mail car and saw their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bohmfalk and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Burgin went to Hondo Monday on business.

We are glad to report that Mrs. J. H. Estes is improving nicely after an operation at the P. & S. Hospital in San Antonio.

Mrs. Lucille Snultz of Midlothian passed through enroute to Con Can where she has accepted a position as dietician at a summer camp for girls, which is being conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ellis. Miss Dorothy Burgin is also going to have a class in some department at the camp.

Miss Dorothy Estes arrived from Fort Worth last week. She has been a student at the Female College there.

Mrs. W. P. Stone of San Antonio visited her brother, Mr. J. H. Null last week, returning home Sunday.

Little Tommie, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Duncan, swallowed a tablet containing a per cent of poison and was taken to Hondo for treatment. However, the dose was not sufficient to be harmful.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ward and children of San Antonio were out Saturday visiting home folks.

Mr. George Heiligman, proprietor of the Red and White Store, returned last Friday from Ohio and other points east, where he went on a pleasure trip. He sent cards to some of his friends of scenery and views of different places he visited.

Miss Joy Weathers of Pearsall visited her sister, Mrs. Milton Burgin last week-end.

Miss Bess Burgin left Saturday for Georgetown for the commencement exercises of the Southwestern University.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thompson spent last week at Mr. N. F. Berry's home.

Mrs. C. J. Oefinger of San Antonio visited her relatives here for several days.

Mr. Herman Faseler and family were Hondo visitors Monday.

MUCH OF INTEREST TO WOMEN AT MEDINA SHORT COURSE.

A program of unusual merit has been prepared for women and girls at the South Texas Short Course and Encampment at the Medina Herford Ranch in Bexar County, July 16 to 18. That the subjects to be presented possess a feminine appeal may be judged by reviewing some of the titles as prepared by the women speakers in the A. & M. Extension Service. "Salads," "Inexpensive Improvements for the Home," "Chair Coverings," "Styles in Clothing," "Marketing 4-H Club Products" and "How to

Make Money from Poultry" are subjects of practical value to the housewife and her daughter.

At the same time the mother is getting the "protective diet" straight, father will be mastering the technique of balancing old Bossie's ration, son will be learning to bud pecans and daughter will be learning to make and judge butter. In other words, this Short Course is an all-around family affair with plenty to keep all interested and on their toes every minute.

Further, it is an encampment, meaning that folks come with their bedding, cooking utensils, much of their food, and a willingness to rough it for a few days. As a camping ground it has been thoroughly tried out for years and found high, safe and dry. The weeds have been pastured down and water piped for the convenience of the scores of families of campers expected to be there. The place is eighteen miles west of San Antonio on the Castroville Road, and two miles south. County and home

demonstration agents will have the detailed programs within a few days.

RANCHER'S ROUNDUP POST.

PONED.

Announcement is made by A. B. Conner, Director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, that the Annual Ranchmen's Roundup usually held during the month of August at the Ranch Experiment Station near Sonora, will be postponed until next year. The Ranchmen's Roundup is held under the auspices of the Ranch Experiment Station, the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association of Texas, and other interested ranchmen of the Edwards Plateau region.

Inasmuch as needed improvements under way at the Ranch Station will not only provide better equipment for the work, but better facilities for

the Roundup at a later date, it was decided to defer this meeting until next year and bend every effort toward having the biggest and best meeting in 1931 ever held in the ranch country. The Station is exerting every effort to thoroughly equip a veterinary Laboratory in order to be in position to make more rapid progress in the study of sheep and goat disease problems of importance to the region. In view of these conditions and the further fact that numerous other events and meetings will be held this year, it seems advisable to take this action in preparation for more effective work by the Ranch Experiment Station, and better facilities for holding the meeting in 1931.

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To test tires, a large company drove a new Ford day and night, for an average of 500 miles every twenty-four hours. It was still giving satisfactory service after 105,000 miles.

A Ford car that had fallen into Fernan Lake was submerged for twelve days before being raised. After a new battery and carburetor bowl were installed, it was driven back to Spokane under its own power.

Many police departments have written of the special advantages of the Ford in crowded traffic because of its alert speed, acceleration, and ease of control. An increasing number of fleet owners are also purchasing the Ford because their cost figures have given conclusive proof of its economy of operation and up-keep.

In addition to important triumphs in Germany, France and Italy, the Ford won six out of seven leading places in a contest in Finland, first and second in the Rafaela races in Argentina, first and second in the

run from Copenhagen-to-Paris-to-Copenhagen, three gold medals in England, first ranking in the durability test over the tortuous Amancas road in Peru, and first place in the 1930 reliability run conducted by the Royal Automobile Club of Sweden.

This contest was an exceptionally severe test of endurance and sturdy construction because it was held in the dead of winter and covered 600 miles of steady running over snow-covered country roads and mountainous hills.



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De Luxe Sedan	640		
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Took the Package With a Glow of Expectancy.

She took the package with a glow of expectancy, started to open it, then explained. "He'll be here himself as soon as business permits."

"Some trinket Transley sent out," she said. "I'll be here himself as soon as business permits."

"It was all plain enough to me, an' plain enough to Transley," her father continued with remarkable calmness. "We seen it right from the first."

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concern than if a steer had been lost from the herd. "Transley said to tell you Dratz had disappeared an' he reckoned you wouldn't be bothered any more with him."

"Dratz was nothing to me," she managed to say. "How can you think he was?"

"Now who said he was?" her father retorted. "For a young woman with the price of a herd of steers on her third finger you're sort o' short this mornin'. Now I'm jus' wonderin' how far you can see through a board fence, Zen. Are you surprised that Dratz has disappeared?"

She was entirely at a loss to understand the drift of her father's talk. He could not connect her with Dratz's disappearance, or he would not approach the matter with such unconcern. That was unthinkable. Neither could Transley, or he would not have sent so brutal a message. And yet it was clear that they thought she should be interested.

Her father's question demanded an answer.

"What should I care?" she ventured at length.

"I didn't ask you whether you cared. I asked you whether you was surprised."

"Dratz's movements were — are nothing to me. I don't know that I have any occasion to be surprised about anything he may do."

"Well, I'm rather glad you're not, because if you don't jump to conclusions, perhaps other people won't. Not that it makes any partic'lar diff'rence."

"Dad," she cried in desperation, "whatever do you mean?"

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The Thomas Goodpasture four-acre tract, just north of the Hondo bridge sixty yards off Highway No. 90 is for sale. This tract is well drained, has a splendid well of water and would be an ideal place for a tourist camp and filling station catering to highway traffic. If preferred, is equally well adapted for a chicken farm. For price (and terms if wanted) see the owner on the premises or apply to either member —

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FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.

The W. F. Miller homestead in northeast part of town consisting of a two acre block of land. Can be remodeled into comfortable home with ample room for garden, orchard, etc. For price and terms see the owner or either member of the Hondo Land Co.

Fletcher Davis, Phone 127. Geo. H. Kimmey, Phone 172.

SUBURBAN ACREAGE FOR SALE.

The J. A. Powell home on the north side of town is for sale at a bargain and on easy terms. Property consists of a six-acre block of land, all fenced, and four acres in cultivation, a five-room house, small garage and other outbuildings. House located on well drained elevation and easy of access. Premises piped for city water. Could be easily converted into an ideal poultry farm. For price, terms and other particulars see the owner on the premises or either member of the Hondo Land Co.

A desirable lot in residence section of Jourdanton, Atascosa County for

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One lot 140 x 50 feet, Burnside addition, few steps off gravelled street, \$250.

Your choice of acreage property or town lot in Barkuloo Addition to Hondo. See plat of survey and get prices and terms at the Anvil Herald office. This property is offered at prices and on such terms that the smallest wage-earner can easily acquire a home-site that is bound to increase in value. Don't miss this opportunity.

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Only \$350.00 will buy lot 6 and the east half of lot 7 of Block 37, the same being 90-feet front of the northeast corner of the block. Formerly known as the Earnest place, and one of the prettiest building sites in Hondo. Inquiries of either member of the Hondo Land Co., phone 122 or 127.

Farms for the man who wants to farm; ranches for the man who wants to ranch; town property for either San Antonio, being lots 11, 12 and 13 who wants to retire and move to the of the Southeast corner of block 14. See Hondo Land Company.

For Sale — 114 1/4 acre farm, mostly uncleared but tillable, four room house, barn, chicken houses, well. Ideal chicken farm. For price and terms see Hondo Land Co.

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All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. 33 tf

Prof. J. Gordon Barry was here from Austin over the week-end.

Summer Apparel for Men, Women and Children—LEINWEBER'S. 42

For Sale, one nice 5-year-old horse. Also one stock saddle. R. C. BLESS

Money spent in Medina County helps to build and maintain our churches, schools and highways. Our stock of merchandise ranges from the cheapest wood to anti-rust steel cases, displayed in a convenient showroom and our services can be secured day or night. JNO. A. HORGAN, Funeral Director, Phone 75, Hondo, Texas. 30-tf

Miss Meda Crow returned Monday to T. S. T. C. at San Marcos after having spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crow. Miss Crow has been attending a summer session of school in San Marcos since the close of her music school at Utopia some weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Murray went to San Antonio Tuesday and were accompanied home by their daughter, Pauline, who has been visiting Miss Mildred McMurray in Hesstonville for the past week.

Miss Armor Lee Embrey and her aunt, Mrs. Charles Hogopian, and small daughters of San Antonio left Sunday for Corpus where they will spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lacy and children are moving to Hondo this weekend from their ranch home near D'Hanis. They will be located in the home of Mrs. Ella Woolls.

Harold Stiegler and Russel Speece spent the week-end here with home-folks. They are attending summer school at Main Avenue High School.

Misses Thelma Wilson, Mary Lois Barnes and Margaret Dillon are visiting Miss Jane Eldridge in Uvalde this week.

Mrs. Velma Barnes and sons, Winfield and Frances, of Pearsall spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Barnes.

For Rent, my 7-room house, Apply on premises to T. McCall. 48-4tpd

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DON'T FORGET WHEN YOU NEED GOOD WORK CLOTHES PRICED REASONABLY GO TO H. S. BULGERIN.

Miss Erna Mae Stuessy and Milton Kunkel of Houston, little niece and nephew of Mrs. Alfred Schueers are visiting her this week.

Misses Elizabeth and Mary Ruth Wilson returned Sunday from Corpus Christi, where they visited their sister, Mrs. George Gilliam.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy McCall and son, Thomas, of College Station spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson and family.

Mrs. J. L. Cook of Houston is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alfred Schueers. Mr. Cook will join her Saturday for a short visit.

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Mrs. George Bailey and two children of San Antonio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson and family.

John Henry and Walter Meyer returned from LaGrange and Elenger, where they visited relatives for several days.

Miss Anne Davis returned Sunday from Brenham, where she was the guest of Miss Mary Antoinette Roden.

Mrs. Geo. Gilliam and children of Corpus Christi are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson, this week.

Cost \$60.00 New. Remington Portable Type Writer in good condition for \$25.00. Windrow's Drug Store. 2t

Less than 10c the ounce in pints. Vanilla Extract that does not cook out. Windrow's Drug Store. 48-2t

For Sale, one nice 5-year-old horse. Also one stock saddle, R. C. BLESS.

Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor spent Monday in San Antonio.

Carolina Woman Lost 47 Pounds

In 3 Months and Feels Years Younger

"I have been taking Kruschen Salts for nearly 3 months. I have continued taking one teaspoonful in warm water every morning. I then weighed 217 pounds, was always bothered with pains in by back and lower part of abdomen and sides.

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"I shall never be without Kruschen Salts, will never cease taking my daily dose and more than glad to highly recommend it for the great good that is in it." Mrs. S. A. Solomon, New Bern, N. C., Jan. 1930. "P. S. You may think I am exaggerating by writing such a long letter but truly I feel so indebted to you for putting out such a wonderful salts that I cannot say enough."

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Shoes for the tiny infant at The Popular Dry Goods Store, Hondo. It

Mrs. Armin Bendele and daughters of Dunlay were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Who wants a \$90.00 used Victrola for \$30.00. Get this bargain at Windrow's.

Mrs. George Heyen, and little son, George, Jr., spent last week in San Antonio.

BOARD and ROOM at reasonable price. Apply to Mrs. F. H. Schueers, Phone 92-J. 46-1f

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Murray spent the week-end in Kerrville with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Taylor.

Don Windrow was held over at Uvalde for a few days because of the high water in that vicinity.

Mrs. Fletcher Davis and Mrs. O. B. Taylor spent Friday in San Antonio with Mrs. Louis Scherrer.

Bargain! Bargain! Only one! \$90. used Victrola, for quick sale \$30. Get it at Windrow's Drug Store.

You know the damage done by hail, we can protect you against this, call O. H. Miller. 39-4t

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HONDO GIRL AT SUL ROSS.

ALPINE, Tex., June 19.—Miss Anna Lynch of Hondo, Texas, is registered for the summer session of Sul Ross State Teacher's College.

The 1930 summer session is the first in Sul Ross history. Students

from almost every Texas County and

several other States in the country are registered.

Construction of a Club House at Kokernot Springs is now in progress. These Springs were given to

for a park with the provision

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Our Castroville Page

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG
ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News and advertising copy for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Huehner is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 1930

Rain, rain, more rain and then more. News very nearly all washed out.

Messrs. Louis Fuos and George Etter were San Antonio business visitors Thursday.

We learn that Mrs. Alfred O. Hutzler who was taken to San Antonio about a week ago for medical treatment was operated at the Santa Rosa Infirmary Friday morning and was getting along as well as can be expected. We join the many friends of the lady in wishing her a speedy and permanent recovery.

Henry Vonfile, A. S. Jungman, Ed. Tschirhart, Sr., Jos. Liebert and probably others, whose names we failed to get, attended the Old Freighters meeting at San Antonio Sunday.

The General (annual) Meeting of the Castroville Mutual Fire Association, which was to be held Sunday afternoon, June 15, was rained out.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Vollmer of San Antonio visited Mrs. M. A. Groff Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Vonfile attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Louis Ahr, nee Haass, the only step-sister of Mrs. Vonfile, who had died at her home at San Antonio Saturday afternoon and was laid to rest at San Fernando Cemetery Monday morning. Mrs. Ahr was born at Castroville sixty-nine years ago and counts her relatives and friends here by scores.

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The reserve power provided by a big rugged V-type engine of simple design which develops a full 85 horsepower at only 3,200 revolutions per minute, is largely responsible for the two outstanding characteristics of the new Oakland Eight—performance and reliability.

Naturally the public is more familiar with the Oakland's feats of performance because those achievements could be demonstrated immediately after its introduction. But it is only now, after more than five months of owner service that the exceptional reliability of the Oakland is becoming apparent. Long ago the Oakland engineers knew the reliability of the new Eight and so did the engineers of General Motors. They road tested 50 complete cars a distance of nearly one million miles before giving the final production okay.

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But of equal importance is its "square" ratio of bore to stroke. The stroke of 3 3/8 inches is less than the diameter of the bore and from one to two inches shorter than the stroke of many automobile engines.

This exceptionally short stroke confers reliability in two different ways. In the first place it reduces to a minimum the "orbit" of the moving parts within the engine and consequently lessens the internal stresses which they create. This might be illustrated by swinging a weight on the end of a cord. A considerable pull is felt when the weight is swung at the full length of the cord. But as the cord is shortened the pull progressively becomes less.

In the second place the short piston travel appreciably reduces the rate of wear on pistons and cylinders. The piston of the average American automobile travels up and down in its cylinder a distance of about 2,400 course of a 12,000 mile year of driving the Oakland piston travels approximately 1,400 fewer miles in its cylinder than does an average piston. Inasmuch as the wear on pistons and cylinders is in direct proportion to piston travel, the Oakland gains considerably in reliability from this one feature.

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the states in population, holds an unchallenged first place in the divorce census.

States with divorce laws no less liberal than those of Texas rank far below this state in the ratio of divorces to population. Obviously, then, the law can not be charged with responsibility for the condition.

There is but one explanation, and it is not pleasant to contemplate. The plain, unvarnished truth is that Texans as people are more tolerant of, and friendly to, divorce than the people of other states.

In one Texas county there is recorded an instance where one girl, scarcely out of her "teens," has been thrice divorced and is now living with a fourth husband.

Court records in the same county reveal that another woman three times completed the cycle of marriage, divorce and remarriage; and each time to one and the same man!

Especially significant is the fact that divorce tends to "run" in families. That "divorce history" which began when a mother divorced her husband is in point. In due course of time a married son divorced his wife, and two married daughters divorced their husbands.

Delinquent children present a disturbing problem of proportions which challenge immediate attention. In the substantial majority of cases it is notable that juvenile delinquents are the children of divorced parents.

Closely allied to the divorce evil is that of juvenile delinquency.

Very obviously these two problems—divorce and juvenile delinquency—are not going to solve themselves.

Texas may glory in her high standing among the states with reference to population and agricultural and industrial production; but to rank high in divorce and juvenile delinquency is a questionable distinction. It is a distinction which Texas does not deserve.

The next governor, whoever he may be, immediately upon inauguration should appoint a commission to study these two social problems and determine upon corrective measures. That done, no time should be lost in presenting their recommendations to the electorate.—The Editorial Digest.

SOCIAL TRENDS.

Ordinarily, with so much political activity to distract them, editors would not devote much either of time or space to consideration of purely social problems. Conditions are not ordinary within the social realm, however, and many editors frankly confess their alarm.

It is the logical and natural result of facts which are reported in and

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LACOSTE LEDGERETS.

From the LaCoste Ledger.
WELL DRILLER DIES SUDDENLY.

Mr. Fred E. Harris, dropped over and died suddenly while sharpening well-drill points on the Pearson Companies Lease near Pearson, Texas, June 9, 1930, at 3:30 P. M.

Dr. W. G. Brymer, who was summoned to the stricken man pronounced it heart failure.

The body was taken to the local Justice of the Peace, Louis Biediger, for inquest proceedings and was buried in the Hagy McCollum Undertaking Co. to San Antonio to be prepared for burial.

Mr. J. E. Rohmer of McDonal, Texas, partner of Mr. Harris was with the deceased when the sudden death came. Mr. Kearney of the Pearson Company was also present at the inquest hearing.

MARRIED.

On Friday, June 6th, 1930 Miss Lucille Koontz of San Antonio and Mr. W. M. Pierce were happily married. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Rachel C. Koontz of San Antonio, and is well known here, having lived here until a few years ago. The newly wedded couple will make their home in San Antonio at 225 E. Magnolia St.

John Schuehle and sons from Sun Hill were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hans from Castrovile were LaCoste visitors last Friday.

A number of ladies had a quilting party at the home of Mrs. Wm. Bohl Monday.

A. W. Trip and daughter, Theodore, from MacDona were visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rinn and sons from San Antonio were visiting relatives here and at Castrovile Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamor were San Antonio visitors Tuesday. Mrs. Lamor remained there for a few days with relatives.

Jacob Beidiger from Spindletop was a visitor here Monday.

Wm. Rinn, Jr., from Castrovile was a business visitor here Monday. W. M. Collins from Castrovile was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Clarise and Octavia Kellor were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Robert Tondre from MacDona was on business last Friday.

Ed Trip from MacDona was here on business Tuesday.

Joe Marbach, Jr., from MacDona was a LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Weber and Miss Leslie Koenig were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Biediger are putting a new Chevrolet Coach, purchased from Dillon Chevrolet Co. of Hondo.

Henry Gross from below D'hanis and Ed Wells from Lytle were here for the Directors meeting of the LaCoste National Bank Tuesday.

Messrs. L. C. Howard from Pearson, Judge Penland, D. Littleton, S. Gracoll and H. Grant all from Decatur, were pleasant visitors here and at Castrovile Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Christilles and Eileen and Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles spent Sunday in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gruen.

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We are authorized to announce HON. A. P. JOHNSON as a candidate for re-election to the office of Representative of the 77th Representative District, subject to the Democratic Primaries.

For Tax Assessor.

Yielding to the solicitations of my many friends, I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County, and now hereby respectfully announce for said office, subject to the next November general election.

It will be my earnest endeavor to meet every voter before the election, but in case I should not be able to do so, I adopt this opportunity to say that your support and vote will be greatly appreciated by me. I promise, if elected, to render impartial, courteous and efficient service to all.

Sincerely yours,
FRANK M. FINGER.

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor, it is a deep sense of gratitude that impels me to express my appreciation to the voters of Medina County for their liberal support and confidence reposed in me. Assuring you that if I am re-elected I will endeavor to discharge the duties incumbent upon me as Tax Assessor impartially to the best interest of Medina County.

Respectfully,
L. E. HEATH.

At the solicitation of many friends in Medina County, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor at the November election, and respectfully solicit the vote and support of all voters of the county.

OSCAR L. SAATHOFF.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, Texas, at the general election in November, 1930. If re-elected I shall continue to discharge the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.

Sincerely thanking the citizens of Medina County for past favors conferred upon me, and assuring one and all that their influence and support will be greatly appreciated by me. I am.

Yours to serve,
J. J. DROITCOURT.

Upon the solicitations of many friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the November election.

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I will endeavor to meet the voter of the County before the election. However, should I not be able to do so, I adopt this opportunity to say that your vote and support will be greatly appreciated by me. I promise if elected, to fulfill the duties of the office to the best interest of the county.

Respectfully,
OSCAR J. BADER.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

To My Friends and All Voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 1.

I am again announcing myself as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, believing it is time a change should be made in that official position of the County.

It is my purpose, in making the race for Commissioner, to try and not only try, but improve our public roads of my precinct, without favor or hope of reward, and to economically manage as far as I can the finances of the County, provided the voters and tax payers will so honor me with their support.

Hence I am asking all voters in Precinct No. 1 who have confidence in my integrity and ability to fill the office, for their support at the next election in November, 1930.

Trusting I will be your next Commissioner,

I am, most respectfully,
ALVIN MUMME.

I hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Medina County, Texas, at the general election to be held in November, 1930.

During the time I have served as your County Commissioner I have always endeavored to safeguard the interests of the Taxpayers and to render efficient and faithful service, and if elected again I shall continue to execute the trust imposed in me to the very best of my ability. I will greatly appreciate your influence and support.

Respectfully,
H. F. BUSS.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, and if elected pledge myself to a faithful and economical administration of the affairs of the office. Your vote and support is earnestly solicited.

ALFRED NESTER.

I hereby respectfully announce myself for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, of Medina County, Texas, at the November general election.

During the time I have had the honor of serving as County Commissioner it has been my earnest endeavor to do my full duty and to render fair and impartial service to every taxpayer. If re-elected I shall continue to fulfill the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.

I wish to again thank the voters of Precinct No. 3 for the honor conferred upon me and to assure one and all that your vote and support at the coming election will be greatly appreciated by me.

Respectfully submitted,
OSCAR W. TONDRE.

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:- Our D'Hanis Page :-

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Viola Koch

to whom all items intended for this page should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Koch is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 1930

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ahr and children of LaCoste and Mrs. Alex Haby of Rio Medina visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Keller one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rud. Tschirhart, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mann were Castroville visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mesdames Ed. Koch, E. Mueller and son, Joe, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mueller and son in San Antonio Wednesday.

Misses Mary and Maggie Langfeld of San Antonio are visiting relatives here for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., and children spent Sunday in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Batot of Eagle Pass visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink and daughter, Georgia Mae, visited here.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finger was christened last Sunday in the Holy Cross Church. The name given the little Miss was Jonell Elizabeth, with Mrs. R. A. Warfren and Mr. Amos Finger as sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mark of Perry and Mr. John Ernest of Rosebud are visiting relatives here for several days.

Mrs. Emelia Ernest enjoyed a dinner given in her honor the other day. The occasion being her 74 birthday. The dinner was enjoyed by Mrs. Emelia Ernest, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Survoik, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Nester, Messrs. Fred and John Ernest, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Brod.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Louis Ernest, who is at the Santa Rosa Hospital and underwent an operation, are glad to hear she is getting along fine.

Mrs. Aug. Brown and daughter, Miss Hattie, left for San Antonio Monday, where Miss Hattie will undergo an operation.

Mrs. Bob. Ran of Hondo visited Mrs. Regina Deckert here Wednesday.

day.

Mr. Frank Moiner of LaCoste visited his sister, Mrs. Ed. Rieber, here Tuesday.

Mrs. Julius Ahr of LaCoste attended the shower here for Miss Mae Carle.

Messrs. Alex and Theo Keller, William Rudinger, Elmer and Verner Koch visited Mr. Ben Kempf and family Sunday.

Mrs. Regina Deckert received a card from her daughter, Mrs. T. E. Woodrome, who is visiting at Cleveland, Ohio, at present and will visit different points before returning to her home in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wernette and baby of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wernette here for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ney of San Antonio visited relatives here during the week.

Mrs. Martin Knippa and children of Knippa are here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle, Sr.

Mrs. Wm. Brown and children of Knippa visited here Tuesday.

Messrs. Alvin Britsch, and Jack Knox of Hondo were here on business one day last week.

Mrs. Frank Bialie left for Carmon on a visit to her parents.

A SHOWER.

On Tuesday, June 17, 1930, Miss Mae Carle was honored with a shower at the home of Mrs. Matt Koch. Seventy-seven were registered on the "Bride's Book," at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Carle entered the room with her escorts little Misses Mary Bell Carle and Kathryn Holiday, dressed in little white ruffled dresses. While the bride-to-be entered, the wedding march was played until she was seated in the bride's chair, which was ar-

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ranged for her. On each side of the bride's chair small blue stolls were arranged for the escorts.

A kitchen guessing contest took place immediately after the bride entered. A toast to Mae was read by Miss Viola Koch.

TO MAE.

Look at the crowd that's gathered today!

What is the reason, I ask if I may? Oh! Yes it's a shower for Mae, our friend.

Just look at the "raindrops" each one has sent.

All came here with radiant faces, Eagerly awaiting to take their places.

Excitement seems to reign supreme.

Oh! Hurry up, let the "drops" be seen.

But before we start, let us not forget We haven't offered our good wishes yet.

May your wedded life, always happy be,

May your trouble seem too small to see.

Mary had a little lamb or so the story goes.

Now May has got herself a man, and that's better as every girl knows.

The lamb followed Mary wherever she went

Mild and gentle did always appear.

Now, may Thomas thru life be very content

To be led by Mae from year to year.

But lamb-like qualities in a husband, we fear,

Would be difficult to find.

From most wives we usually hear

That more like the goats are mankind.

Being mild and gentle is the woman's lot.

A man must think he is "king."

His bread and meat must always be hot,

He must never lack for a thing.

But laying all jokes aside.

A wedding is a serious occasion.

And the best wish we can make for any bride,

Is a home with love for its fundation.

Dear Mae, when the years have passed away.

And time has shivered your hair,

May you be as happy in that far day

As now, when life seems so fair.

The bride-elect was surprised when little Miss Louise Koch entered, all in blue, carrying a bride's bouquet, which was given to Mae. Little Misses Charlotte Boog and Kathleen Rohrbach, also dressed in blue, followed, pushing a little blue cart all filled with useful and beautiful gifts for the bride-to-be. After all the gifts were admired by the guests, brick ice cream in pink and white with light and dark cake was served with little cups of mints as plate favors with an owl place card in a folder form hand-trimmed by Mrs. F. G. Muennink and Miss Corine Koch with "who-who" on the outside of the owl. The guests found the name of Mae Carle and Thomas Koch in the inside of the folders giving away the name of the bride and groom. Hostesss were Mesdames Louis Carle, Jr., Matt Koch, Alfred Rohrbach and Miss Viola Koch.

BRIDGE CLUB.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent by members of the club and a number of guests with Mrs. Hy. Dry at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lena Langfeld on Wednesday of last week. Vari-colored cosmos and roses were charmingly used in the decoration of the bridge rooms.

At the close of the games Mrs. Frank Kimmerly received a bottle of bath salts for high guest prize, Miss Grace Zinsmeyer a bath mat for high club prize and Mrs. John Rieber was awarded a string of beads for low. The consolation prize was given to Mrs. A. M. Rath.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames John Rieber, E. A. Rothe, A. M. Rath, John Zinsmeyer, M. J. Finger, Ed. Finger, Misses Cornelie Koch, Grace Zinsmeyer, Agnes Rothe, Dora Saathoff and Carrie Langfeld and guests: Mrs. Fred Rock, Mrs. Frank Kimmerly, Mrs. Chas. Rohrbach, Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr. Mrs. Fred. Rock and Mrs. Joe Williams were voted in as new members of the club.

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ST. ANTHONY COMMUNITY CLUB.

The regular meeting of the club was held Friday, June 13, at the Parish Hall. Plans were discussed concerning the installment of fountains at the school before the fall term. The hostess for this month announced the Free Will Social to be held on June 29 at the Parish Hall. A one act play and several other

numbers will be some of the attractions of the evening. Free refreshments will be served.

The date of the next meeting will be July 11, and all members are urged to attend.

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F. J. Carle, vice president of the D'Hanis Brick & Tile Company, and his son, Alfred J. Carle, sales managers, were in the Leader-News office Wednesday. They were returning from Eagle Pass where a contract for the new school building was let. The D'Hanis brick will be used. Mr. Carle is on his way to Dallas to attend the S. W. Clay Products Institute meeting.

—Uvalde Leader-News.

QUIHI NOTES.

"Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong. Let all your things be done in charity" I Cor. 16: 13 and 14.

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At 10 o'clock Sunday morning divine service will be held in St. John's Lutheran church of New Fountain. All are cordially invited to this and all services in this church.

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Because of the rainy weather and the bad roads the Luther League program which was to be rendered last Sunday night was postponed and will be given in Bethlehem Lutheran church Sunday night, June 22, at 8 o'clock. This is a fine program of musical, literary and oratorical numbers. All are cordially invited to come and enjoy all that this good program affords.

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All arrangements for a splendid 4th of July celebration in Boehle's Grove at Quihi are under way. The program will be rendered at 2 o'clock P. M. and has a number of fine musical and literary numbers to which will be added two addresses, the one in the English and the other in the German tongue. Games and plays for prizes will be provided for the boys and girls, and a refreshment stand with ice cream, cold drinks and other good things will also be on the grounds. For all who enjoy barbecued meat, a goodly supply of this delicious meat with pickles and bread will be provided on the grounds by an expert chef. The committee in charge of this celebration cordially invite all who can to come to the grounds Wednesday morning, July 2, as early as possible with tools and help in cleaning up the grounds and put them in condition for the celebration.

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STAGE SHOWS AT THE TEXAS.

The Texas Theatre in San Antonio will resume its former policy of presenting stage shows each week in addition to the regular feature picture, Friday, June 20.

"Vic" Insirio, formerly conductor of the Stage Band, will return in the same capacity. "Vic" who has been appearing with Paul Ash at the Paramount Theatre in New York, has many new ideas and a real treat in store for his many friends.

The first stage production in the new group is "Valentines on Parade." This is an exquisite bit of stage craft, novel in setting and unique in lighting that forms a charming background for Helen Yorks and Virginia Johnson, silver-throated song team, the intricate dance steps of Kendall Capps and the amazingly funny antics of Bobby Pinkus, both of whom have been featured in legitimate stage shows. The Texas Rockies, a group of clever and beautiful dancers, lend just the proper touch to balance the entertainment with cleverly executed dance ensembles.

Not only has "Vic" returned but that favorite of all music lovers, Ernest Hauser, once more waves the baton over the Texas Grand Orchestra. Mr. Hauser's overture for the week will add many new friends to his already growing legion of admirers.

At the Mighty Organ Leo Weber goes into his second big week. He is becoming more popular at every performance, and his solo for the week will add many new friends to his already growing legion of admirers.

On the screen Charles "Buddy" Rogers' latest starring picture, "Safety in Numbers," the first of a series of musical comedy pictures which Rogers will make for Paramount, will be presented. In this latest Paramount picture Rogers has the distinction of playing opposite five leading ladies all picked for their beauty and ability to sing. These five charmers who play important roles in Buddy's education, romantic and otherwise, are Kathryn Crawford, Josephine Dunn, Carole Lombard, Genevieve Mitchell and Virginia Bruce.

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J. P. Ephraim and I. E. Aten were over from D'Hanis Tuesday evening for the Chapter meeting.

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